Docket No. 294227US0X PCT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Harald GROEGER, et al.

SERIAL NO: 10/593,567 GAU: 1633

**EXAMINER:** FILED: August 21, 2007

PROCESS FOR PREPARING OPTICALLY ACTIVE AMINO ACIDS USING A FOR:

WHOLE-CELL CATALYST

## REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME **UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.136**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS ALEXANDRIA, VIRGINIA 22313

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It is hereby requested that a one month extension of time be granted to November 29, 2008, for		
filing a response to the Official Action dated:		
responding to the requirements in the Notice of Allowability dated:		
filing the Formal Drawings. The Issue Fee due has been timely filed.		
responding to the Notice to Comply with Requirements dated: August 29, 2008.		
filing a Notice of Appeal. A timely response to the final rejection, due has been filed.		
filing an Appeal Brief. A Notice of Appeal was filed on:		
Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.		
The required fee of \$130.00 is being made by credit card payment online (if electronically filed), or is attached hereto (if paper filed), and any further charges may be made against the Attorney of Record's Deposit Account No. <u>15-0030</u> .		

Respectfully Submitted,

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